

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA
REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
CENTRAL COAST REGION**

STAFF REPORT FOR REGULAR MEETING OF NOVEMBER 19-20, 2015
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ITEM NUMBER: 21

SUBJECT: Executive Officer's Report to the Board

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This item presents a brief discussion of issues that may interest the Board. Upon request, staff can provide more detailed information about any particular item.

WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATIONS

[Phil Hammer 805/549-3882]

The tables on the following pages list applications received and certifications issued from August 14, 2015 – September 29, 2015.

401 Water Quality Certification Applications Received August 14, 2015 – September 29, 2015

Applicant	Date Received	Project Title	Project Purpose	Location	County	Receiving Water	Proposed Total Impact ¹	Status
PG&E- Craig Geldard	8/21/2015	Empire Grade Road Access Project	To ensure the safety and reliability of access roads along Empire Grade Rd., which are essential to obtaining access to the PG&E transmission line.	Unincorporated	Santa Cruz	Tributary to Big Creek	0.03 acres 163 linear feet	Under Staff Review
County of Monterey Resource Management Agency- Carl Holm	8/26/2015	Santa Rita Creek Sediment and Vegetation Removal	To re-establish and deepen the historic centerline of flow in the channel by sediment removal and prevent overflow, scour, and dams in the channel by vegetation removal.	North of Salinas	Monterey	Santa Rita Creek	0.193 acres 1250 linear feet	Under Staff Review
Santa Cruz Port District- Marian Olin	9/1/2015	Santa Cruz Harbor East Access Road Sinkhole Repair	To repair a public safety hazard by filling an existing void, thus preventing further erosion of the embankment area and damage to the adjacent roadway and utilities.	Santa Cruz	Santa Cruz	Santa Cruz Harbor, Monterey Bay	41 linear feet	Under Staff Review
California State Lands Commission- Eric Gillies	9/2/2015	Summerland Becker Well Investigation and Assessment	To conduct an investigation regarding the Summerland Field Becker Onshore Well to determine the best method to cap or remediate the well at a future date.	Summerland	Santa Barbara	Pacific Ocean	<0.01 acres <50 linear feet	Under Staff Review
Shell Exploration and Production Co.- Mark Himberger	9/3/2015	Former Hercules Gas Plant	To clean-up and dispose of impacted soil from a natural gas processing facility.	Goleta	Santa Barbara	Pacific Ocean, Coastal Water of the South Coast Hydrologic Unit	0.85 acres 2,088 linear feet	Under Staff Review
Nicholas Valdovinos & Ofelia Laurel	9/9/2015	2030 Long Canyon Road Drainage	To obtain the appropriate permits in order to come into compliance after installing two culverts without correspondence the Central Coast Water Board.	Santa Maria	Santa Barbara	Seasonal Streambed near Sisquoc River	0.009 acres 30 linear feet	Under Staff Review
Entrada de Paso Robles, LLC- Kenneth H. Hunter	9/11/2015	Entrada de Paso Robles	To construct an entertainment area and resort complex for residents and visitors to enjoy the Paso Robles area.	Paso Robles	San Luis Obispo	Tributary to Dry Creek, which is a tributary to	.282 acres 235 linear	Under Staff Review

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						Huerhuero Creek	feet	
Doug Filipponi	9/16/2015	Las Tablas Village Project- Tract 2992	To develop approximately 15 acres of property into a commercial center with a residential mixed use component.	Templeton	San Luis Obispo	Two unnamed drainages which are seasonal tributaries to Toad Creek	0.34 acres 1000 linear feet	Under Staff Review

^[1] Total Impact includes both temporary and permanent impacts to waters.

401 Water Quality Certifications Issued August 14, 2015 – September 29, 2015

Applicant	Date Certified	Project Title	Project Purpose	Location	County	Receiving Water	Includes LID Retention Feature ²	Total Impact ¹
Carpinteria Sanitary District - Craig Murray	8/14/2015	Via Real Sewer Main Relocation Project	To move the sewer out of the way of a larger Caltrans project prior to project commencement.	Carpinteria	Santa Barbara	Carpinteria Creek	N/A	0.057 acres 325 linear feet
Freeport-McMoRan Oil and Gas – Laura Vlk	8/28/2015	Point Arguello Pipeline company (PAPCO) Dig Site Project	To ensure the integrity of the PAPCO oil pipeline by excavating, inspecting, and potentially repairing an anomaly detected during routine maintenance inspections.	Calle Mariposa Reina	Santa Barbara	Unnamed tributary to Canada del Barro (315.50)	N/A	0.02 acre
City of Santa Barbara Public Works Department - Jessica W. Grant	8/31/2015	Laguna Pump Station Facility Repair and Maintenance	To minimize flooding in the low lying neighborhoods between Laguna and Milpas Streets.	Santa Barbara	Santa Barbara	Laguna Channel	N/A	0.12 acres 270 linear feet
Phillips 66 Pipeline LLC- James Adams	9/3/2015	Cal-Coast Pipeline Replacement	To replace existing pipeline in order to continue to transport crude oil from existing oil field to Phillips 66 pipeline system.	Orcutt	Santa Barbara	San Antonio Creek	N/A	.02 acres 50 linear feet

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^[2] Low Impact Development (LID) Retention Features are stormwater management structures designed to retain stormwater on-site, such as bioretention cells, infiltration trenches, etc.

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Attachments

1. Table 3 - Groundwater Section, Case Closure Performance Scoreboard
2. Table 4 - Groundwater Case Closures
3. Table 5 – Enrollments in General Orders/Wavers